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TO: LaGov HCM Paid Agency Human Resources

and Employee Administration Staff

FROM: Andrea P. Hubbard

Director

SUBJECT: 2014 Tax Withholding for Non-Resident Aliens

Effective January 1, 2014, Non-Resident Alien employees with the "Non-Resident tax calculation" indicator on IT0210 will have their federal tax withholding calculated using the tax withholding procedure published in the 2014 IRS Publication 15, Circular E, Employer's Tax Guide. In LaGov HCM, Non-Resident Aliens are those employees with a residence status on IT0094 of "Alien Authorized to Work". Non-Resident Alien students from India are not subject to this procedure.

For 2014, the biweekly amount that will be automatically added to Non-Resident Alien employee wages before taxes are calculated is \$86.50. This additional amount does not represent wages, is not paid to the employee, will not be reported on the employee's W-2 as wages, and will not appear on the employee's remuneration statement.

<u>Reminder:</u> All Non-Resident Alien employees are required to complete a new Form W-4 (Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate) or Form 8233 (Exemption from Withholding on Compensation for Independent Personal Services of a Nonresident Alien Individual) annually, as applicable. Refer to OSUP Memo #2013-35 for additional information on Non-Resident Aliens (Aliens Authorized to Work) procedures.

Any questions regarding tax withholding procedures for Non-Resident Aliens (Aliens Authorized to Work) should be directed to a member of the OSUP Wage & Tax Administration Unit at _DOA-OSUP-WTA@la.gov or (225):

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